

2021-2022

IASF DANCE DIVISION LIST



# IASF DIVISION LIST GUIDELINES

## IASF DIVISION LIST AGE ELIGIBILITY

The eligible age for an athlete is determined by the BIRTH YEARS column on the Age Grid.

The IASF Age Grid is based on the year of The IASF World Championship. This year's Age Grid is based on 2022. Note that the format "U followed-by-age" really means that age and younger. For example, U9 should be read as age 9 and younger. For the easiest understanding of athlete age eligibility, as stated above, use the BIRTH YEARS column.

## EVENT PRODUCER REQUIREMENTS

The IASF DIVISION LIST is a list of ALL of the IASF divisions. Each event producer may choose which The IASF DIVISION LIST is a list of ALL of the IASF divisions. Each country's governing body, or event producer, where permitted, may choose which divisions they would like to offer. Every IASF division is not required to be offered at each event.

## TEAM SIZE

6 to 15 members = Elite

16 to 30 members = Premier

## GENDER

All Girl = No males on team

Coed = A minimum of 1 male and 1 female on team

All Male = No females on team

## CROSSOVERS

National governing bodies, or event producers, where permitted, may choose their own crossover policies.

## CROSSOVERS AT WORLDS

Athletes may compete in up to 5 routines at the Dance Worlds and may compete in USASF Club divisions or IASF International divisions as long as they abide by the age rules of each division. For a complete list of the 2022 Dance Worlds bid eligible IASF Divisions and Categories and additional restrictions/information regarding those specific divisions please visit <http://www.iasfworlds.com>

## TIME LIMITS

IASF U6, U9, U12, U16, U19, and Open = Routine time minimum of 1:45 to a maximum of 2:15

## IMAGE POLICY

By 2022, any team that competes outside of it's country must follow the Image Guidelines set forth by that country and/or the IASF. Dance does not follow the Cheer Image Policy

## IASF COVID-19 AGE GRID ADJUSTMENTS

Adjustment 1. For the 2021-2022 Season, the U16 (formally known as Junior) teams are allowed an additional year of eligibility at the upper end of the age range. You will see this in **RED** when you look at the Age Grid.

Adjustment 2. For the 2021-2022 Season, the U19 (formally known as Senior) teams are allowed an additional year of eligibility at the upper end of the age range. You will see this in **RED** when you look at the Age Grid.

**IASF U6**

<b>DIVISION</b>	<b>BIRTH YEARS</b>	<b>AGE</b>	<b>FEMALE/MALE</b>	<b>CATEGORIES</b>	<b>NUMBER</b>
IASF U6	2015-2017	5-6 Years Old	Female/Male	Pom, High Kick, Hip Hop, Jazz & Contemporary/Lyrical	6 to 30 members

**IASF U9**

IASF U9	2012-2017	5-9 Years Old	Female/Male	Pom, High Kick, Hip Hop, Jazz & Contemporary/Lyrical	6 to 30 members
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**IASF U12**

IASF U12	2009-2014	8-12 Years Old	Female/Male	Pom, High Kick, Hip Hop, Jazz & Contemporary/Lyrical	6 to 30 members
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**IASF U16**

IASF U16	2005-2012	10-16 Years Old	Female/Male	Pom, High Kick, Hip Hop, Jazz & Contemporary/Lyrical	6 to 30 members
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**IASF U19**

IASF U19	2002-2010	12-19 Years Old	Female/Male	Pom, High Kick, Hip Hop, Jazz & Contemporary/Lyrical	6 to 30 members
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**IASF OPEN**

IASF Open	Born in 2008 or earlier	14 and Older	Female/Male	Pom, High Kick, Hip Hop, Jazz & Contemporary/Lyrical	6 to 30 members
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## IASF DANCE Birth Year and Season Matrix

Note that the format "U followed by age" really means that age and younger. For example, U8 should be read as 8 and younger.

Also note, after the two year age extension in the 20-21 and 21-22 seasons, the **U16** and **U19** will be moved back to U15 and U18.

Season	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
<b>Birth Year</b>					
2025					
2024					
2023					
2022					
2021					U6, U9
2020				U6, U9	U6, U9
2019			U6, U9	U6, U9	U6, U9
2018		U6, U9	U6, U9	U6, U9	U9, U12
2017	U6, U9	U6, U9	U6, U9	U9, U12	U9, U12
2016	U6, U9	U6, U9	U9, U12	U9, U12	U9, U12, U15
2015	U6, U9	U9, U12	U9, U12	U9, U12, U15	U12, U15
2014	U9, U12	U9, U12	U9, U12, U15	U12, U15	U12, U15, U18
2013	U9, U12	U9, U12, U15	U12, U15	U12, U15, U18	U12, U15, U18
2012	U9, U12, <b>U16</b>	U12, U15	U12, U15, U18	U12, U15, U18	U15, U18, Open
2011	U12, <b>U16</b>	U12, U15, U18	U12, U15, U18	U15, U18, Open	U15, U18, Open
2010	U12, <b>U16, U19</b>	U12, U15, U18	U15, U18, Open	U15, U18, Open	U15, U18, Open
2009	U12, <b>U16, U19</b>	U15, U18, Open	U15, U18, Open	U15, U18, Open	U18, Open
2008	<b>U16, U19</b> , Open	U15, U18, Open	U15, U18, Open	U18, Open	U18, Open
2007	<b>U16, U19</b> , Open	U15, U18, Open	U18, Open	U18, Open	U18, Open
2006	<b>U16, U19</b> , Open	U18, Open	U18, Open	U18, Open	Open
2005	<b>U16, U19</b> , Open	U18, Open	U18, Open	Open	Open
2004	<b>U19</b> , Open	U18, Open	Open	Open	Open
2003	<b>U19</b> , Open	Open	Open	Open	Open
2002	<b>U19</b> , Open	Open	Open	Open	Open
2001 and prior	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open

